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HAIG ON LUDENDORFF

London Times.—Field Marshall Sir Douglas Haig was last week presented with the freedom of the Borough of Wolverhampton. Before receiving the freedom, the Field Marshal was entertained at luncheon by the Mayor.

The Freedom was afterwards conferred in the council chamber. Replying to his election, Sir Douglas Haig said that the men who fought so bravely, loyally and successfully under his command deserved all the praise that could be given. He commanded men who could be depended upon in all circumstances, and it was that when things were going least favourably their efforts would be greatest.

"I, like many of you, doubtless," proceeded Sir Douglas, "have been reading Ludendorff's memoirs, and one of the things that most struck me, as a man who has had the responsibility of a great command, was the mental distress and hopelessness of outlook that overcame him when he realized that the instrument with which he worked, the great German Army, had broken to pieces in his hand. That is an experience that I never had to contemplate. (Cheers.) I knew that even though the men I commanded were hopelessly outnumbered, though their own numbers were reduced and their strength tried to the utmost by the strain of great unequal battles, yet such men as remained to me would each of them fight a man's battle and fight it the more stubbornly the more desperate conditions grew. (Cheers.) The splendid instrument that served me might ultimately be worn out, but so long as it existed at all it would go on working. It would never break to pieces in my hand." (Cheers.)

GERMAN TROOPS IN BALTIC STATES IN CRITICAL STATE

London, December 4.—Germany's adventure in the Baltic states may be considered ended militarily, according to the war office summary of the week's events issued today.

"The situation of the Germans, who are being attacked on three sides by the Letts and Estonians, is critical," says the summary, "and it is hard to see how they can longer delay evacuation. The retreat is virtually cut off, but it is assumed that they will be allowed to withdraw."

"Another threat of grave possibilities in Turkestan, where Bolshevik activities are reported to be increasing. The Tashkent government has sent a commissary to Merv (Russian Transcaspia), and it is also stated that Lenin, the Bolshevik premier, has dispatched some German orientalist from Moscow to spread Bolshevik propaganda. A number of these have gone to India, Persia and the far east.

"There are now no hostile forces between the Bolshevik and Afghanistan where the Bolsheviks are spreading their propaganda assiduously.

"In Russia the Bolsheviks made little progress during the past week and General Denekine's troops reported some victories. A strong counter-offensive on the right has gained much ground and driven the Reds back to within 30 miles of Kursk. Southwest of Kiev, volunteers also have taken the offensive and re-occupied Fastoff and captured Perdicov. The Bolshevik pressure has relaxed for the moment and their advance is becoming slower and less extensive.

"The Bolshevik advance in east Russia continues along the whole of the front. In north Russia there is little change in the situation, due to the winter, but the Whites have cleaned nearly the whole of the Pirega valley of the Bolsheviks."

NO WAVERINGS REGARDING TRIAL OF THE EX-KAISER

London, December 4.—Speaking at Pontypridd, Wales, today, Sir Gordon Hewart, attorney-general, said the suggestion was not true that there were any dissensions or waverings with reference to the trial of the former emperor of Germany.

The law officers, he added, were continuing most careful preparations for it. Fifty thousand written statements with reference to the matter of prosecuting criminals for their acts during the course of the war had been examined. From this, the speaker said, the audience would appreciate the magnitude of the task, and not be deceived by suggestions that the matter was not receiving the closest attention.

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"Yes."

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BRAN CHEAPEST FEED FOR STOCK CLAIMS STEWART

Wheat Board Answers Criticisms of Eastern Farmers

Winnipeg, December 4.—James Stewart, chairman of the Canadian Wheat board, made the following statement to the Canadian Press Wednesday evening.

From various eastern interests much enlightened criticism has been directed against the operations of the Canadian wheat board with regard to bran and shorts. The feeding of the dairy and livestock farmer in particular has been aroused by those who have made him believe that he is being charged an exorbitant price for these two kinds of feed stuffs.

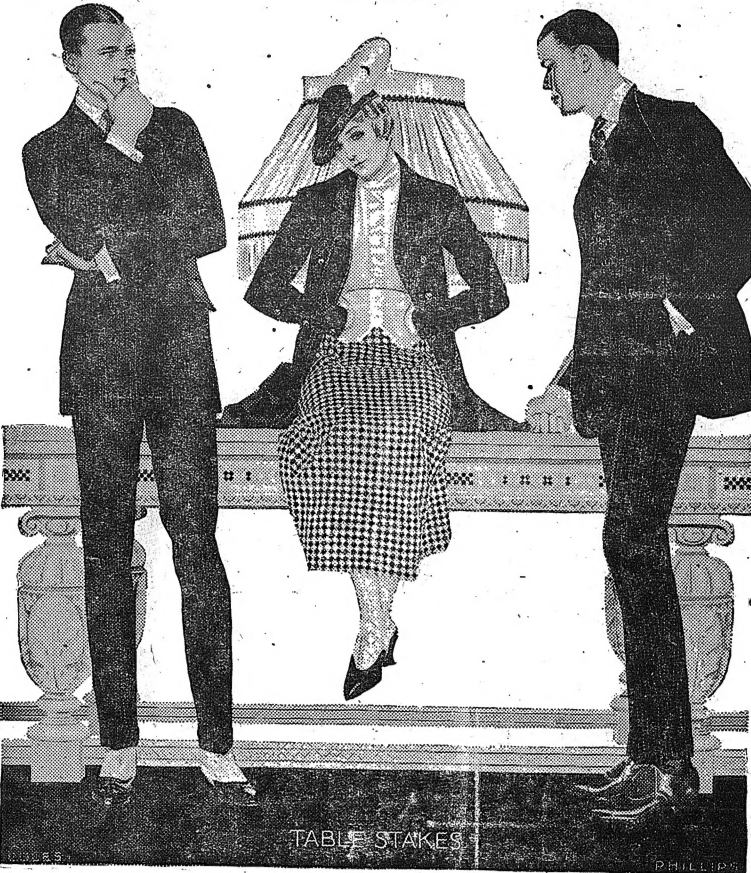
As a matter of fact, bran and shorts are the two lowest priced feed stuffs for livestock that can be purchased anywhere in Canada at the present time. Bran at Port William at \$29 per ton in sacks, or at \$33 per ton without sacks, is actually cheaper than oats, corn, oil meal, alfalfa, silage, bundle corn, barley, shorts, timothy or clover at present prices. The average price of oats Tuesday

was 84 cents per bushel, which, plus eleven cents for labor and sacking, would amount to 95 cents per bushel. The feeding value of oats on the basis of \$29 per ton, the present price of bran, is 68 cents per bushel, as against 95 cents Tuesday's price, showing conclusively that bran is cheaper than oats.

The same condition is true of all other feedstuffs that have been referred to. The current market price of corn is \$1.37 per bushel; of oil

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Berlin, Wednesday, December 2.—Mathias Erzberger, minister of finance, faced his battle for vast tax increases in a two-hour speech before the national assembly today. He warned the deputies that the man who was still wrapped up in pre-war individualism would not find the tax assessment awaiting him to his liking.

The first thousand marks of income are not assessed in the scale named in the income tax schedule. After that amount incomes will be taxed 10 per cent; for the second thousand, 20 per cent; for the third thousand, 30 per cent; for the fourth thousand, 40 per cent; for the fifth thousand, 50 per cent; for the sixth thousand, 60 per cent; for the seventh thousand, 70 per cent; for the eighth thousand, 80 per cent; for the ninth thousand, 90 per cent; for the tenth thousand, 100 per cent.

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ALARM FELT OVER BIG DROP IN RATE OF EXCHANGE

Further Fall Will Have Pronounced Effect on U.S. Exports.

Winnipeg, December 4.—Great alarm in financial and business circles is felt over the further big drop in British pound sterling. All through the war the rate of exchange between this country and Great Britain was under close observation. It was pegged at \$4.76 the pound. It was pegged at this figure by the British government, but how this was done and what the cost has not been divulged. After the war ended some British students of finance stated that a note would fall to \$4.00 or even to \$3.75, and the question arises whether it is going to be pegged at \$3.75 or at any other point in the descent. A fall below \$3.75 would certainly have a pronounced effect on exports from the United States to Great Britain, though the position of the Canadian exporters is not quite so bad.

UP TO THE POINT OF THE CARLISLE, secretary of the treasury of the United States, issued his annual report yesterday and discussed this question. Glass did not suggest that the United States would intervene at any point to protect the rate of exchange. The United States government, he says, will not assume the duty of financing the countries of Europe. This, he declares, is the duty of exporters and not of the government.

Mr. Glass also referred to the general condition of Europe and made a statement of much significance. He said that the treasury department of the United States did not believe that the financial situation in Europe was as bad as had been presented. This general statement of the treasury said to have a note which had influence on the grain prices.

In connection with the great rise in the market price of silver, it is pointed out that fifty-four countries of the world now use silver in their coins. The Dominion of Canada produces eighty-five per cent. of the nickel output of the world, and has a pure nickel supply. In such circumstances, the issue of nickel coins of small denomination would seem to be the natural course in Canada.

The output of silver is declining, while the demand is the greatest that has ever been known. A large part of this demand comes from the Orient, where the Allies bought heavily during the war.

London, December 4.—In view of the German government's denial of the responsibility for the sinking of the German warships in Scapa Flow, the British admiralty has today issued a number of documents, including all the secret instructions of the German admiralty, Von Reuter, to his officers on the preparation for and the method of scuttling of vessels when the signal for surrender was given from his ship, the Emden, his intention being to send the vessels to the bottom should the British attempt to seize them without the consent of the German government.

Referring to the possibility of Germany agreeing to surrender the ships, Admiral Von Reuter said in one of the documents: "Then the ships will be handed over to the last disgrace of those who placed us in this position. It was given to the weightiest document the admiralty possesses is a letter from the German admiralty, written by Von Reuter, dated Berlin, May 9, and marked 'most secret.' It was given in the safe of the Emden at the time of the salvaging of the cruiser.

A LISTER, who discusses at considerable length the negotiations then proceeding at Paris regarding the fate of the German ships, it gives an actual instruction for the scuttling of the vessels, though one sentence reads: "The signal to scuttle is given out of the question."

The admiralty does not claim this as a secret, but it is a document which the German government ordered the scuttling of the warships, but it claims that the letter provides for the scuttling of the vessels, but it claims that the letter provides for the scuttling of the vessels, but it claims that the letter provides for the scuttling of the vessels.

BRITISH LAW FREED MAN WHO SANK BIG SHIP

Captain Kalsowetter Is Released After His Arrest at Plymouth, England.

London, December 1.—The story of the arrest, imprisonment and final release of Captain Kalsowetter, commander of the submarine which sank the hospital ship *Gleaner Castle*, has been widely discussed of opinion between British government departments as to what rights the allied powers have in punishing the perpetrators of warship warfare.

The government legal department held that England had no right to detain Kalsowetter during the life of the armistice, while the admiralty believed that they had the right to arrest such offenders any time and hold them for trial after peace was declared.

After the signing of the armistice, Kalsowetter went to Spain, where he obtained passports for his return to Germany. He made the mistake, however, of landing at Falmouth, where he expected to board a vessel for the Baltic. Admiralty officers at Falmouth arrested him and brought him secretly to the tower of London. Every effort was exerted to keep the identity of the prisoner, who was interested in Kalsowetter, the learned of his arrest and the appeal to the government legal department, which found that England was not entitled to arrest him unless peace had been declared. The examination was held in the greatest secrecy and the result was a decision of the ruling. This decision has negated much of the work the admiralty had done in the case of the capture of the more barbaric submarine warfare.

More Than Seven Million Dollars Still Remains To Its Credit.

Ottawa, December 4.—Representatives of the government, the governor-general, the executive and advisory committees of the Canadian Patriotic fund, together with the representatives of the Manitoba Patriotic fund, which always operated as a separate body from the Canadian Patriotic fund, had a conference this morning to consider ways and means of looking after successful cases of returned soldiers and their dependents during the coming winter.

The governor-general presided at the conference. The amount now remaining in the Patriotic fund is about \$7,440,000. This fund looks after such cases as are of an emergency nature, but not such cases, for example, arising through a soldier being out of work. They will be dealt with on their merits through other government agencies. The Patriotic fund, however, will render aid to the dependents of a soldier killed at the front, where his dependents' other allowances are insufficient. Illness or accident to a returned soldier would be looked after by the Patriotic fund, but not lack of employment.

WAR LOSSES \$331,512,542.60. DEAD 12,990,571.

A dispatch from Washington says: The first comprehensive report on the "Direct and Indirect Costs of the War" has just been made by the War Relocation Administration. The report includes losses in the volume under that title.

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Restrictions on Sale of Liquor Being Urged

Social Service League Has Many Recommendations at Convention.

Edmonton, December 4.—That Alberta should take advantage of the opportunity to hold a referendum on the provincial government measurewide restriction on the sale of liquor or physicians' prescriptions; that the Social Service League be reorganized in conformity with the Dominion council, and that the policy of prevention instead of cure be urged upon both the city and provincial authorities, were outstanding points made at the opening session of the Alberta Social Service League convention this morning.

It is the fourteenth annual gathering of the league, and delegates are present from all parts of the province. Mrs. L. C. McKinney, M.L.A., president for the past year, is in the chair, and the president of the league, Mr. J. M. Shearer, of Toronto, is among the visitors from the outside.

CALGARY BRANCH ACTIVE

A number of resolutions from the Calgary branch of the league were reported to the meeting, including a request that the original provision of the liquor act restricting the amount of liquor permitted on any private premises be limited to two pints per month and to six ounces only, except where more than five miles from a drug store; that vendors have the right to refuse sale; that all sales be made by the Alberta government; that fines be raised to a maximum of \$1,000; and that second offences be punished by imprisonment without option.

These suggested changes in the law were referred to the resolutions committee, which will bring them more closely into connection with kindred work throughout the Dominion. Delegates on the question of liquor will be taken before the convention closes.

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THE PASSING OF THE PLUG HAT

Ottawa Journal: "I see grandfather was a plug hat," mused the Prince of Wales, as he glanced at a picture of King Edward on his visit to Mount Vernon, some decades ago, and I suppose I should have worn one too."

The Prince Charming was wrong. For the plug hat, one of the unerring hallmarks of respectability, both real and assumed, has apparently passed away.

Doberling on its last legs, so to speak, the war gave it its death blow. Today in Great Britain, where the plug hat was created, it is not often seen. In the old days, particularly in what was known as the Victorian era, the British House of Commons used to be a veritable forest of plug hats, and when Mr. Keir Hardie first turned up in a Scotch tweed cap he was adjudged guilty almost of sacrilege. Now everything is changed. Mr. Lloyd George, invariably seen in a fedora, as do even these choice aristocrats, Mr. Balfour, Lord Robert Cecil and Lord Curzon, and the minor prophets of politics follow suit.

On this continent the change has come more slowly, but just as surely.

BIG PACKERS CHARGED WITH FORMING TRUST

Washington, December 4.—Formal complaints were issued today by the federal trade commission charging the five big Chicago meat packers with violations of the Clayton antitrust act through the alleged purchase and control of 31 corporations handling food and other supplies. Written answer to the complaints must be made within 40 days, and thereafter public hearings will be held before the commission.

Concerns which the packers are accused of absorbing include meat packers, fruit canners, dealers in eggs and poultry, and dealers in manufacturers of butter, cheese, condensed milk and leather products, and leather tanners.

STRANGE CHARGES AGAINST TORONTO BARRISTER.

Toronto, December 3.—Among many strange allegations made in the police court here today against J. H. Hoffman, a Toronto barrister, by his wife, was one to the effect that her husband, to whom she had been married for 21 years, had left her for John C. Frazer, a musician from Bay City, Mich., against whom she had laid a charge of vagrancy. Hoffman, she alleged, had told her Frazer was a woman, that they were soul mates, affinities, had been spiritual married, and could not live one without the other. Mrs. Hoffman declared that she had done all that could be done with money to get her husband away from this "woman."

PROMINENT PEOPLE DEAD.

London, December 5.—Prominent people dead are:

Lord Walsingham, Canon Alexander Ryder, an Irish cleric; Sir Lionel Abrams of the media office; James Haddon, a noted Bradford woolen merchant; J. T. Cowell, a Manx government official; Auguste Lenoir, a famous French painter.

DEATH OF MR. CHRIS. JOHNSON

One of the old and esteemed residents of the Burnt Lake south district in the person of Mr. Chris. Johnson died on Saturday at the Memorial Hospital. Mr. Johnson had been in poor health for some time and had gone to Calgary for medical treatment without avail, coming back to Red Deer to die. The family lost a son from the flu last year and this second loss will call out the sincere sympathy of the district. Mr. Johnson was an inveterate fisherman and a sportsman. The funeral took place on Thursday, Mr. Johnson conducting the service to the funeral home. The widow and five sons and daughters remain.

ASSETS	
Cash in Bank	176.46
Account receivable, Alberta	6.15
Fair Association	6.15
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Cots, etc.	139.50
Electrical Transformers	400.00
Sundry Fair Equipment	412.50
Buildings, etc.	4,674.13
	\$13,076.42

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I certify that the above statement is correct.

JAS. A. YOUNG, Auditor.

On motion, the financial statement was adopted.

Mr. Welliver took up the question of having the secretary also elected as a manager. He pointed out the advantages of this in many ways.

Mr. Galbraith said he had never put out so much expenditure as this year in the way of buildings and other improvements, spending over \$4,000 in this way, yet we had a surplus, under the excellent management of the President, Mr. McKinnon, and Secretary Welton, whose work was in excellent shape, by having a commitment to the efforts of Mr. Kenny, who had done splendid work for the association.

He stated that we had paid out \$2,000 more for agricultural prizes than ever before.

A vote of thanks was passed unanimously to Senator McKinnon and Mr. Welliver for their work in securing the Dominion grant.

A vote of thanks was also tendered Mr. Kenny for his valuable work on behalf of the association, as he does not expect to be with us next year.

Introduced by C. C. Gamble and John Macleod, and carried unanimously.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The following officers were elected for the coming year:

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President—D. W. McKinnon.

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Another case of the peculiar disease, generally known as "sleeping sickness," has been reported to the medical health department, Calgary, this being a young boy whose parents reside in Sunnyside. The boy has been completely isolated, and all persons who were in contact with the family are under medical observation. The boy was taken ill last Saturday, falling into a comatose condition, and remaining in that condition until this morning, when he seemed a little brighter.

This makes the fifth case of the disease, which some physicians call iatrogenic encephalitis, and others plain meningitis. The third death from a disease exhibiting such symptoms occurred Monday night, when the Voluntary Warman Ward, aged 18 years, of the L.S.H., expired. His remains will be sent to Moncton, N.B. The other two deaths were those of Dr. Rea, well known dentist, and Lorne Dodd.

One other patient suffering with the symptoms is making favorable progress towards recovery.

GOVERNMENT SUITS IN PARIS
SELL AT \$11.

Paris, December 3.—The national costume for men, manufactured by the government to meet the increasing price of clothing, made its appearance on the Paris boulevards on December 1, as proclaimed by the authorities. The suit is not such as to draw the attention of promoters, either by its elegance or its shabbiness, and, but for a little strip of linen inside the coat marked "national garment," one would think that the suit had anything different from others daily turned out of the so-called fashionable tailors.

There is one thing alone in which the national garment differs from others, and that is the price, as the suit, suit for 110 francs, or the equivalent of \$11 in Canadian money.

SOLDIER SETTLEMENT BOARD
GIVEN OVER 100,000 ACRES IN
PRAIRIE PROVINCES.

Ottawa, December 2.—Over 100,000 acres of Hudson Bay reserve land lying in the three prairie provinces which have come into the hands of the Dominion government are being turned over to the soldier settlement board for settlement by returned soldiers. These lands were acquired during the last summer. All of the land is of good value for purposes of farming and a considerable area is of especially good value. The Hudson Bay lands, the East View (Pope) ranch near Carleton Place, comprising about 18,000 acres of high class agricultural land, has been secured by the government and will be disposed of to soldier settlers by the board. All these lands have been classified and will be disposed of early next spring.

They will be divided for the purpose of disposition into two classes: (1) Specially valuable lands which will be sold at reasonable prices under settlement conditions; (2) less valuable lands but still suitable for agriculture which will be disposed of to soldiers under soldier grant. No prior right including those of squatters will be recognized in connection with these lands. The system of allotting, which worked out satisfactorily in the case of certain Indian lands and the Porcupine reserve this year, will be adopted. The date of ballot will be announced later.

A NEW IDEA.

Mrs. Clymer was giving a little dinner and her housemaid left without warning during the morning.

In despair the good lady tackled her new cook.

"Jane," she asked tearfully, "what shall I do? Can't you wait at table?"

"Not in the dining room," was cook's firm response. "But I've had some caution experience, so if you'd line up your guests and send them out here with their plates, I'll see that they get all that's comin' to them!"

A NEW HULLLESS OAT.

The introduction of a good, new variety of hullless oats by the Experimental Farms branch has not attracted as much attention as it should. Free samples of this variety are now being distributed by the Dominion cerealist at Ottawa. The stock on hand is not large, but as long as it lasts samples will be gladly sent to farmers in almost any district in Canada, as it is believed that this oat will be widely useful. The full name of the variety is Liberty, Ottawa 480. It is derived from a cross made in 1903 between the well known variety Swedish Select and a hullless oat from China. The new variety is decidedly superior to the old Chinese sort. Thereafter, the system of hulling, which worked out satisfactorily in the case of certain Indian lands and the Porcupine reserve this year, will be adopted. The date of ballot will be announced later.

HOCKEY LEAGUE OPENING

Carstairs defeated Innisfail by 8-2, and Olds defeated Crossfield by 4-0 in the opening games of the southern hockey league on December 1st.

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We have arranged for several cars of Jack Pine and Spruce wood from the west, and will from now on be able to supply our customers with the best of wood; but on account of higher priced timber, we are compelled to charge \$3.00 per load instead of \$2.75.

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IRRIGATION IN SOUTH ALBERTA

The demand of the Alberta farmer for further irrigation extension in Southern Alberta, and South and Saskatchewan, so emphatically raised at the recent Irrigation Convention held at the Government Hotel, ready the Minister of the Interior, accompanied by the Superintendent of the Reclamation Service, and the Minister of Colonization and Immigration, has visited the West and discussed the situation with the farmers at Maple Creek, Raymond, Lethbridge, Macleod, Calgary, and they have promised that further surveys for that purpose will be undertaken without delay.

For a long time a strong feeling of irritation was unnecessary in Western Canada. Conditions of drought do not regularly recur there, and quite apart from the fact that the scientific principles of dry farming have now obtained a great following, there was not, they insisted, the same urgency for irrigation as in other less fortunate countries, where the rainfall is usually so small as to make agriculture impossible without it.

When one looks back over the history of irrigation in the West, and remembers the strenuous opposition the movement met with from the public generally, one is struck with the radical right-about-face in sentiment, for not only is it now admitted to be advantageous, but it has throughout practically the whole of the south demand its extension to agriculture in the permanent successful. Doubtless, experience of the past two years with a rainfall in Southern Alberta of less than 10 in. and the bumper crops raised by the result has been responsible for this unanimous change in opinion.

The semi-arid portion of Alberta occupies a strip approximately 100 miles in width north of the state of Montana, and extends from the mountains on the west coast to the prairie southern base of the province, merging into the more humid climate of Saskatchewan on the eastern limits of the Cypress Hills. Dr. Samuel Fortier, consulting irrigation engineer of the United States Department of Agriculture, who a few years ago thoroughly investigated irrigation conditions in Alberta, gave it as his opinion that the portions of these provinces the natural rainfall is insufficient for profitable farming, and that the main reason would be not so much whether irrigation is necessary or not, but rather, just how long profitable crops could be grown without it. And his prediction has proved correct.

Many arguments can be advanced in favor of irrigation being in all ways superior to dry farming. Irrigation, when properly applied, is the best kind of farming because it is the only system that permits of the most intelligent treatment of every individual crop to suit its requirements. It eliminates the necessity of summer fallow and elaborate treatment of the soil in order to conserve moisture. The basis of all true agricultural prosperity is water, and irrigation is especially adapted to it. By its means special crops, such as alfalfa, clover, vetch, etc., the success of which, without water, is problematical, can be raised. In every case where it has been put to the test in competition with ordinary farming methods, it has been proven to increase production from 25 to 100 per cent. From the view of the farmer, community which depends upon the agricultural class for its own basis, it means smaller farm units, closer settlement, intensive farming, increased trade, and a larger capacity per head of the tributary population.

Admitting the truth of the foregoing, it is clear that the primary reason for irrigation is crop insurance. Irrigation in Western Canada is most largely practiced in Southern Alberta, the Dominion Government maintains an experimental farm, at which careful records are kept of yields obtained from the operation of both irrigated and non-irrigated areas, and while the accuracy of truth, it may be claimed that results on experimental farms may be obtained that are not written the records of busy farmers, the records are of deep interest and afford certified data which cannot be assailed. The Government is entirely neutral in these methods of farming, and at no time has any attempt been made to demonstrate the advantages of irrigation over dry land farming. One-half of the farm lies below the ditch and is irrigated; the other half is above the ditch, and the latest methods of dry farming have been practiced.

On the dry land farm, an attempt has been made to solve the problems that the dry-land farmer is confronted with, the best methods of summer fallow, weed control, soil drifting, etc., and on the irrigated part, the question that the irrigator is particularly interested in. On both portions of the farm, the same crops have been raised for the past eleven years, from 1908 to 1919. W. H. Fairfield, the farm superintendent (who prior to coming to Canada was a wheat grower in the United States), the Government has a record of crop grown on this farm, and the result has proved beyond the least doubt that the irrigation of wheat (the irrigated portion of the farm) was 23, of oats (Banner) 38, of barley (Chevalier) 35, of peas (all varieties) 14, potatoes (Irish Cobbler) 250, (and other crops in like proportion). Only in one case (Irish Cobbler) was the yield of the irrigated crop fall below the dry land crop, that exception being noted in 1916, and it is only fair to point out that on the dry land the crops have been summer fallowed, which means but one crop every other year, while on the irrigated land, a crop of some kind has been produced year in and year out. The annual precipitation for the eleven years is 15.51, the highest being 28.65, the lowest 7.62.

Similar results to these have been obtained on the Canada Land & Medicine Hat, and on the C.P.R. experimental farms at Strathmore and Brooks, while many individual cases of results attained by farmers throughout the whole territory may be cited. Alfalfa production is becoming general on the irrigated lands, and at prices running from \$33 upwards, is alone a great source of income to the producer.

A large amount of capital has been expended by corporations in the western provinces during the past ten or fifteen years in providing additional water supplies to supplement the scanty rainfall. Of these the heaviest investor, and through the corporations the C.P.R., with approximately fifteen million dollars, is the Canadian Pacific, and though for many years considerable criticism has been levelled at the company, it is clear that the investment is paying for itself. The company is a financial underwriter and quite apart from the benefits being derived from the individual on the land and the country as a whole, is justifying itself.

The Canadian Pacific has developed in Southern Alberta the largest individual project on the American continent, with an area greater than the total irrigated area in either Colorado or California. Its irrigable area exceeds 600,000 acres.

while the total length of its canals and ditches is greater than Canada's longest river, the Mackenzie, to the distance from Vancouver to Halifax. Surveys originally made by the Dominion Government determined that for 150 miles southwesterly from Calgary and approximately 20 miles north and south of the C.P.R. main line, was a district admirably suited to irrigation both in soil, water, and in the character of the soil. The western section of this block is now thickly settled with stockmen and the eastern block being taken up as fast as the land can be placed on the market. Spontaneous recognition of the value of irrigation by those who have it and want it, is evident in the constant daily stream of letters of application received by the company, and the increasing fact in connection therewith is that many of those who now demand it formerly turned it down when they might have had it.

A further area of 100,000 acres in the Lethbridge district, originally developed by the Alberta Railway & Irrigation Company, was acquired by the Canadian Pacific Railway, and has now reached a remarkable stage of development and prosperity. The acquisition of the farm for further irrigation and irrigation quickly. The farmers claim, with justification, that it is a life and death issue for them; if they are to remain on the land they must have it; if they do not get it, they must leave the land. Already, the Government has a lien on their lands for seed, food and other necessities, amounting to four million dollars, and from the point of view of the Government alone, it is a business proposition. As a result of the recent meeting between the Government officials and the farmers, referred to above, the Government has promised to make immediate surveys of 500,000 acres, which, added to the million and a half already known to be irrigable, would total a total irrigable acreage of two million. A recent statement attributed to the Dominion Superintendent of the Reclamation Service places the land in Alberta and Saskatchewan that requires irrigation at 54,000,000 acres, and that is not all, for a further great area is known to be irrigable, lying between the North and South Saskatchewan and the Battle and Red Deer rivers, is declared by engineers to be irrigable, which, with plenty of water available, will prove to be among the best productive portions of the Canadian West. To irrigate the 500,000 acres above referred to will cost, it is estimated, \$20,000,000.

That the vast sum of money invested by the Canadian Pacific in its irrigation enterprises above outlined is sound, is now beyond all question. With 600,000 acres of irrigable land between the cities of Calgary and Medicine Hat producing bumper crops year in and year out, it is not difficult to calculate the effect on the company's freight and passenger revenue, and on the prosperity of these cities and the province as a whole, for it is clear that the greater crop production the greater general prosperity. The greatness as well as the happiness of any people depends on the prosperity of its rural population. Irrigation is a way that one way to become a better irrigator. Sir John Wilcox, who was an irrigated farm with alfalfa, fruit trees and cattle on it. The far-sightedness of the C.P.R. executive in foreseeing the necessity of irrigation in Southern Alberta and the construction of the design and construction of its vast irrigation system, has within the past two years, been clearly demonstrated.

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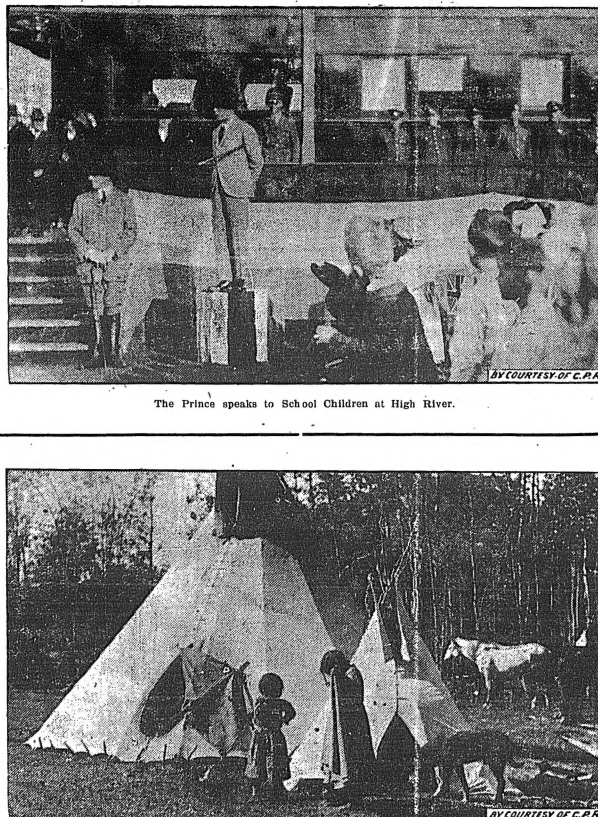


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A complete line of Flashlights. The Kwiklite kind. Self-locking switch. Improved reflector. Prices to suit all pocketbooks.

FOR THE CHILDREN

Aluminum Plate, Cup and Saucer 50¢
Aluminum Sets Cooking Utensils. Prices... 60¢, 90¢, \$1.95 Set
Aluminum Mugs, with DARLING etched on side of mug 40¢
Silver Knife, Fork and Spoon 50¢ to \$1.75
Strong Hardwood Carts, painted red; size of box 12 x 18. Will stand all kinds of rough usage. Price \$3.75
Children's Sleds, from \$1.00 and up
Baby Sleighs \$8.25 and \$9.00
Combination Bob Sleds and Wagons, complete with wheels and roller bearings. Prices \$9.75 and \$12.50
Hockey and Spring Skates \$1.40 and up
Hockey Sticks 30¢ and up

CARVING SETS

We have a few genuine I.X.L. Carving Sets. Get yours now. A little later you may be disappointed. Per Set \$6.00

CARPET SWEEPERS

Get Mother or Sister a carpet sweeper. Easy to operate. No dust. 5.00



O-CEDAR MOPS

are almost indispensable in the home, and make attractive Christmas gifts.

Price \$1.50

SILVERWARE

You will find our stock of Flat Silverware most complete. Berry Spoons, Sugar Shells, Butter Knives, Tea Spoons, Coffee Spoons, Table Spoons, Knives and Forks, Salad Forks, Etc. All Community ware. You know the quality.

BRASS JARDINIERS

In attractive designs. Priced from \$1.75 to \$5.00

FOR THE SMOKER

Antique Brass Ash Trays, each 40¢
Antique Brass Pipe Holder and Ash Tray \$1.50
Antique Brass Match Holder and Ash Tray \$1.00

CLARK'S CARRIAGE HEATERS

No need to have cold feet or cold hands. Get a Clark heater. Price \$3.00
Charcoal Bricks for above heaters... 3 for 35¢; \$1.25 per Dozen

PYREX OVENWARE

Now very popular, has proven itself to be all that is claimed for it, and guaranteed not to break in oven use.

GIVE PYREX—The gift she will use and enjoy every day.
2 1/2 Quart Pyrex Pudding Dishes 2.00
2 1/2 Quart Pyrex Casseroles \$3.50
2 Quart Pyrex Casseroles \$3.00
1 1/2 Quart Pyrex Casseroles \$2.50
Pyrex Pie Plates \$1.25
Pyrex Baking Pans \$1.25
Pyrex Casseroles, round and oval shapes, in nickel plated and silver plated frames \$6.00 to \$7.50

CURLING BROOMS

Best quality Corn, untrimmed. Price \$1.35

Fancy Silk and Satin Ribbon of Unusual Attractiveness

Whether it be a new Sash or Hair Bow for the girls, or for Fancy Ribbons for making up Silk Handbags, Millinery Trimmings, or other novelty articles as Xmas Gifts—you will find our Ribbon stock offers a most wonderful variety to choose from, with everything that is new or staple.

Fancy Silk and Satin Ribbons in a large range of designs, in floral and stripe effect, in the most beautiful shades; 5 to 6 inches wide; Priced at, per yard 65¢ to \$1.50

Plain Ribbons, in Taffeta, Satin and Moire, in a large range of colors and in widths of 1/2 to 6 inches wide; per yard..... 5¢ to 95¢

JUST IN NEW STANDARD QUARTERLY —and— FASHION SHEETS —BE SURE AND GET ONE—



Xmas Gift Suggestions
From the
Fancy Art Goods Section

This section is very complete with a well selected stock of Linens in finished pieces and also in stamped Linens for those who prefer to work their own selection of designs. Embroidered Centers, Tray Cloths, Tea Cloths, Runners, etc., in a large range of designs, embroidered and drawn work. Centres at 95¢, \$1.25, \$1.35 to \$2.25 Tray Cloths, 75¢ to \$1.65 Tea Cloths, \$2.95

Laundry or Linen Bags

A suitable and sensible gift for Xmas is one of the bags of good quality natural art linen, neatly embroidered in different designs and colors; have draw string at top. Size 20 x 27.

Priced 75¢ to \$1.35

Xmas Gift Handkerchiefs For Women



We have a lovely selection of gift Handkerchiefs in fancy boxes of one, two and three to each box. They are of fine sheer lawn and Irish linen, beautifully hemstitched and embroidered in different designs and colorings. Priced 20¢, 25¢, 30¢, 35¢, up to \$1.95

Grocery Dept. Xmas Fruit

As we have received another shipment of Seeded and Seedless Raisins, Currants, Peels, etc., we are in a position to supply all your needs for Xmas puddings, Cakes, &c.

Seedless Raisins, 5 lb cartons, at \$1.40
Seedless Raisins, 11 oz. pkts., at 20¢
Seeded Raisins, 15 oz. pkt., at 25¢
Seeded Raisins, 11 oz. pkt. 20¢
Currants, bulk, per lb 30¢
Lemon Peel, per lb 60¢
Orange Peel, per lb 60¢
Mixed Peel, per lb 60¢
Shelled Walnuts, per lb 90¢
Pineapple, preserved, per lb \$1.25
Fruits, assorted, preserved, per box 75¢
Cherries, in bottles 35¢
Dates, Dromedary, 2 pkts. for 55¢
Birds' Egg Powder, per tin 20¢
Baker's Cooking Chocolate, 1/2 lb 30¢

SPECIAL

Jap Oranges \$1.25 Per Box

BLACKWOOD'S NOTED WINES

Ginger Wine, per bottle 80¢
Cherry Wine, per bottle 80¢

SNAPS AT THE GROCERY COUNTER

Pure Raspberry Jam, 4 lb Special \$1.10
Apex Assorted Jams, 4 lb Special 80¢
Roger's Syrup, 10 lb pails, Special \$1.25
Pea Nut Butter, large tins, Special \$1.65
Magic Baking Powder, 1 lb tin, Special 33¢
Lard, pure, 5 lb pails, Special \$1.80
Beans, No. 1 Ashcroft, Special, 10 lb for \$1.00

CANDY DEPARTMENT

In this department we have a full line of high-class Candy and Chocolates in bulk and fancy boxes for the Xmas trade. A visit to this department will pay you.
Pop Corn, popped daily, pkts. at... 10¢, 15¢, 25¢, 35¢

FRUIT DEPARTMENT

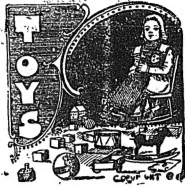
Oranges, large and juicy, per doz. 60¢ and 70¢
Lemons, extra fancy, per doz. 50¢
Grape Fruit, fancy, each 12 1/2¢ and 15¢
Bananas, per lb 17 1/2¢
Grapes, Emperor, per lb 25¢
Tomatoes, hot-house, per lb 55¢
Brazil Nuts, per lb 40¢
Walnuts, per lb 40¢
Almonds, per lb 40¢
Filberts, per lb 40¢
Peanuts, per lb 30¢
Mixed Nuts, per lb 35¢

Second-Hand Hot Air Furnace For Sale

Having installed a steam heating plant in the store, we have no further use for the hot air furnace, and will sell, with hot and cold air pipes, connections and registers, at 25 Per Cent. of the cost of a new one. It appears to be in good order, excepting part of the grates will have to be replaced, having been burned out within the past week.

BRAZIER'S

The Greatest of All Christmas Stores is Now Ready



By far the largest and finest display we ever presented. My, how children's eyes will sparkle at the sights they will see. And toys—more than you ever knew were in the world before. Bring the children Saturday—give them an hour's treat they will remember a lifetime.

We have assembled the most attractive line of Christmas Goods ever shown in this town. The goods are of a kind and quality that will please you. Most important of all—we can save you money. You'll find it a real pleasure to look over these goods. We know what the people of this community want. We think we have succeeded in meeting these needs. This is an invitation to you to come in and see.



See this 15c. Table

Nursery Rhymes, Story Books of the Bible, A. B. C. Books, Animal Books, Paint Books, Longfellow's Poems, Balls, Dolls, Rattles, Tea Sets, Flat Irons, Horns, Games, Tea Sets, Tool Sets, Whips, Drums, Celluloid Animals and Dolls, Paint Boxes, Nursery Bottles, Cap and Pistols, Puzzles, Rubber Toys, Accordians, Paints, Musical Tops, Horns, Dolls and Doll Heads.

Look at These for 25c.

All kinds of Games for the kiddies, Bubble Pipes, Pastry Sets, Pop Guns, Blocks, Drums, Cut-out Paper Dolls, Slates, Hatchets, Stockings, Banks, Blackboards and Easel, Irons, Wrist Watches, Picture and Story Books, Celluloid Toys, Rubber Balls, Tool Sets, Accordians, Paints, Musical Tops, Horns, Dolls and Doll Heads.

Perhaps One of These Would Suit

Misto Magic Toy, Kiddie Kans, Mechano, Puzzle Parties, all ready to ship at, each 75c
Nice Iron Stoves with Cooking Utensils at
Only 85c, \$1.25, \$2.50, \$3.50
Toy Pianos, Schoenhut, at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.50
Animal Iron Banks, each 35c
Animal Iron Banks on Wheels, each 65c
Iron Toys, Trains, Banks, Engines, Carts, etc., at only each 35c, 45c, 50c and \$1.00
Trains, Engines and two Cars, for \$1.50
Trains, engine and 3 Coaches for \$2.25
Clockwork Trains, at \$2.00 and \$2.50
Clockwork Train with heavy cast iron engine, heavy spring, guaranteed for 6 months, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$6, \$7
Electric Trains, run with dry cells, at \$15.00
Tanks, goes over everything, at \$3.50
Building Blocks, at 25c, 35c, 45c, to \$2.50

Mechanical Toys 35c and up

Big Red Locomotive, with tender, 28 inches long, at only \$3.50
Big 24 inch Street Car, at \$3.75
Fire Engine, spring or friction, at \$2.50
Fire Engine, gold finish, clockwork, rubber wheels, red driver, at \$3.75
Smaller size at \$1.75
Hook and Ladder, at \$1.50
Friction Locomotive, 18 inches long, at \$1.00
Gilbert Motor Toys, racer, truck, mail wagon, at only each \$1.35 to \$1.65
Gilbert Machine Gun with bullets, complete, \$5.00
Steam Engine, wood alcohol for fuel, priced at each Only \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$4.00
This is a good toy to go with Mechano set.

Games for All

Bowling Alley 35c
Checkerboard 35c
Pit, Rummy, Flinch, 65c
Fish Pond 35c
Ups and Downs 40c
Parchesi 40c
Ludo 35c
And many others at only 40c

Rocking Horses

Shoofly Rocker, knockdown, at \$2.50
Same, set up, at \$3.00
Swing Horses, made of solid wood, painted grey, saddle and stirrups, at \$10.00 to \$17.50
Horse and Rocker, solid wood, painted grey, saddle and stirrups, at \$6.75
Horses on Wheels, solid and serviceable, can drag or sit on it, for \$3.00 and \$4.00



Horses and Cart, big size, felt covering, drays, cart, milk wagon, etc., at. \$2.75 to \$5.00
Wagons, in all sizes, from only \$2.75 up
Tricycles from \$6.50 to \$12.00
Doll Carriages from. \$5 to \$6

DRESSED DOLLS



Dressed Doll, stuffed body, with painted eyes and legs—hard to break, well dressed, 9 inches long 35c
Dressed Dolls, same as above, 10 1/2 inch 50c
Dressed Dolls, same as above, 12 inch 65c
Larger size 75c
\$1.00 Special, one in a box, 13 inches long, Special \$1.00
Dressed Dolls, 14 inch \$1.25
Dressed Dolls, 15 inch \$1.50

Dolls with Hair and Bonnet, nicely dressed, 13 inch, at only \$1.50
Dolls, well dressed, composition head, with shoes, 13 inches long, at \$1.35
Big Jointed Dolls, jointed arms and legs, moving eyes, head and body of strong composition, 20 inches long, at only \$3.50
Dolls with composition head, hair, leather shoes, stockings, very well dressed, moving eyes, at \$3.60
We recommend the above doll for hard usage.
Cow Girl Doll, all dressed up with belt, pistol and holster, at only \$2.00
Big 15 inch Doll, finely dressed, hair, stuffed body, at only \$3.00
Extra Big Doll, as big as the baby, 26 inches long, stuffed body, composition head and hands, and well dressed for \$3.00
Baby Dolls, with hair and moving eyes, composition body, jointed, from \$3.75 to \$8.00
Kewpie Dolls from 25c, 35c, 50c, \$1 and \$1.50

BIG DOLL SPECIAL

Doll, 28 inches long, stuffed body, with wool knitted booties, finely dressed, lots of hair, for Saturday Special, regular \$16.50 for \$13.75
The Schoenhut All-wool Perfection Doll, steel spring jointed, unbreakable, with nice curly hair, 14 inches long, at \$9.50
Small size as above, without hair, for \$3.50
And scores of others.

Fancy Leather Goods

Red Deer Souvenir, in Tie Holders, Pipe Racks, Photo Frames, Albums, etc., from 25c to \$2.50
Fancy Boxes, Japanese ware, for handkerchiefs and gloves, ties, etc., for \$1.00 and \$1.25
Sewing Sets, same quality, needle, silk, etc, from only, per set \$1.25 and \$1.75
Bamboo Silk-lined Work Baskets, a very nice gift, for \$1.25, \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$5.00
Split Bamboo Work Baskets, at 65c to \$1.00
Fancy Shades in Silk, at 75c to \$4.00
Pin Cushion Jewel Case, gold finish metal, at only, each 35c, 65c, 75c
Big line of Beads and Necklaces, gold, silver, wood, pearl, rose beads, black beads, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1 and \$1.25.
Jewellery—Pins, Cuff Links, Fobs, Hat Pins, from only 15c to \$1.00
Fancy Trays. We have them in oak and mahogany with glass bottom, from \$1.75 to \$6.00

Fancy Dry Goods

Fancy Goods in Silk and Cotton: dresser scarfs, centre pieces, table cloths, in blue bird decoration, in drawn work, from 15c to \$2.50
Fancy Table Cloths, 54 inches, for \$1.85
Fancy Table Cloths, 42 inches, for \$1.25
Centre Table Cover, 54 inches, lace finish, at \$3.00
Silk Handkerchiefs, Red Deer souvenirs, at 50c



"I use it because it is practical—one dish does the work of two. I bake and serve in the same dish for it looks well on my table."
PYREX saves time in the kitchen, saves fuel—saves dishes. It is easy to wash, easy to keep clean and is guaranteed against breakage in actual oven use.
Use PYREX for every meal.



See our line of ALUMINUMWARE

It is complete and values are good. Aluminum makes a fine sensible gift.

Pyrex Ware for Gifts

A particularly popular gift is the Pyrex Gift Set. It consists of eleven pieces—bread pan, casserole, pie plate, oval and round dishes with handles, and six individual bakers. It comes packed in a handsome box ready for shipment or presentation. The set is worth \$12.00, but for quick selling we offer it for

\$10.25

Ladies Hand Bags

We were very fortunate in getting some travellers' samples. You can save 30 per cent on these. Prices range up to **\$6.50**

China for Christmas

We are proud of our China department. Our 15c line is very good this year, and the 25c line is a hummer. Cups, saucers, spoon trays, fancy mugs with flower or figure decoration; tea plates, jugs, tea pots, salt and peppers.

In other lines we do not think you will find a better assortment or values anywhere.

See the pin trays, sugar bowls, cream jugs, bon bon dishes, butter dishes, whip cream sets, hair receivers, cake plates, baby plates, fruit bowls, vases and many other useful articles at, from 25c to \$5.00

Our \$5.00 values are extra good.
China Fruit Sets, 7 pieces, \$3, \$3.25, \$3.75, \$4.50, \$5
Tea Sets, from \$3.75 up to \$12.00, according to the number of pieces.

Dinnerware is up to a high standard here, but the stock is going fast.

A nice Pale Blue wide band set at **\$22.50**

Dark Blue set at **\$25.00**

Violet decoration, wide band, set at **\$32.50**

Light Green decoration, with medallion, at **\$35.50**

Gold band, with hair line decoration, at **\$36.50**

Plain Gold band set at **\$42.50**

We have four fine specials of different decorations, Grecian style, at **\$35.00**

Two beautiful dinner sets, all china, Gold band decoration, at **\$75.00**

Another with small flower decoration, at **\$75.00**

These two dinner sets are selling at \$125.00 all over the country. For quick sale we are pricing them at only **\$75.00**

The kitchen is the laboratory of the home—why not have it equipped right? The cost is little, and the opportunity always can be had in our store. We specialize on kitchen goods. Our prices are right. If there is anything new, we are sure to have it. Remember our store when you want to do the proper thing by your kitchen. Come in and let us show you.

MRS. M. PECK HAS GAINED 25 POUNDS

Nine Years' Trouble Ends, And She Is Well and Happy Now.

"I have gained twenty-five pounds since I commenced taking Tanlac, and the troubles that have been making life miserable for me for nine years have been completely overcome," said Mrs. Maudie Peck, who lives at 2874, 82nd Ave., Edmonton, the other day.

"When I commenced taking Tanlac," continued Mrs. Peck, "I was so weak and run down that I was hardly able to get about. Everything I ate disagreed with me, and I would suffer meal on account of gas forming and bloating me up. I would have severe cramping pains in the pit of my stomach. I was very nervous, so much so that the slamming of a door would upset me terribly, and a good night's sleep was out of the question for me. I would actually get out of bed every morning feeling more tired and worn out than I did the night before. This condition just kept getting worse all the time until I got to where I was compelled to stay in bed most of the time."

"Then I decided to give Tanlac a trial, and it's the honest truth, I commenced to feel better before I had finished my first bottle of this wonderful medicine, and my condition just kept getting better until I am now as well as I ever was in my life. I never have a sign of stomach trouble now, and I have a fine appetite and eat just anything I want. I have gotten back all my strength and can easily do all my housework. My nerves are in perfect condition, and I sleep like a child every night. It is simply wonderful the way I have gained in weight, and in fact, I just feel fine all the time. Yes, Sir, Tanlac is a wonderful medicine and as long as I live I will never lose an opportunity to say a good word for it."

Tanlac is sold in Red Deer by Gett-Cornett Drug & Book Co., in Stettler by the Palace Pharmacy Ltd. in Eckville by Eckville Drug Co., in Veteran by Veteran Drug Store, in Delburne by E. J. Hogg, and in Heeperville by Macdonnell Bros.

666,833 BRITISH KILLED IN WAR

In a recent report issued by the British War Cabinet some remarkable figures are made public. Great Britain's killed alone reaching the tremendous total of 666,833. The figures follow:

Strength of the regular army, reserve and territorial forces, August 4, 1914 732,514
England recruited 4,006,158
With other white enlistments in the United Kingdom and the colonies, the total white enlistment in the Empire was 7,130,280

The figures for races other than white (including over a million and a quarter from India) were 1,524,187.

Giving a grand total of all races of the Empire 8,654,467.

In addition to these Chinese and other labor units were raised for service in Egypt, Mesopotamia and Salonika.

The following were the total casualties of the armies of the British Empire up to the end of 1915:—
Killed—Officers 35,241; other ranks 623,593; total 666,833.

Wounded—Officers 82,142; other ranks 1,943,273; total 2,025,415.
Missing and Prisoners—Officers 11,563; other ranks 342,610; total 354,173.

Total—Officers 122,984; other ranks 2,915,557; total 3,038,541.

It is also pointed out that 1915 saw the climax in the output of munitions, though preparations had been made to exceed in 1916 if the war had continued, the stupendous production of 1915.

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The party was held up by a number of armed men wearing disguises and a brisk exchange of shots ensued. Police and troops were hurried to the scene, and found Mr. O'Brien and Lady O'Brien in the hardware store. Each had been wounded by several shots in the head and shoulders. They also found that five other members of the party had been injured.

It is claimed by members of the party that they saw two of their assailants fall to the ground during the shooting. The dispatch says it is presumed that the object of the attack was the seizure of arms carried by the shooting party.

SOFT DRINKS.

Have you any idea what things are in the bottled soft drinks you consume? Some contain one thing, some another, but all contain water, flavor, sweetening and carbon dioxide gas. These four things are the basic essentials of a bottled soft drink. There is likely to be some coloring matter and there may be an acid actually either the citric acid found in lemons or tartaric acid found in grapes, though sometimes mineral acids are used. Frequently there is a condiment, such as red pepper, cinnamon, allspice, cloves or nutmeg. There is almost certainly a trace of alcohol. And that just about covers what is likely to be found in these soft drinks.

BRAZIER'S NOVELTY STORE

BRUMPTON & GAETZ, Limited

A DRESS SPECIAL

IT WOULD MAKE A LOVELY XMAS PRESENT



We have decided to sacrifice every Crepe de Chine and Georgette dress in our stock and make an entire "clean-up" before Xmas. It's a chance for you and doubtless one that you will be glad to avail yourself of at this time.

\$50.00 dresses reduced to	\$37.95
\$45.00 dresses reduced to	33.75
\$42.00 dresses reduced to	30.95
\$40.00 dresses reduced to	29.45
\$38.75 dresses reduced to	28.95
\$35.00 dresses reduced to	26.25
\$30.00 dresses reduced to	22.25

Ladies' Coat Special

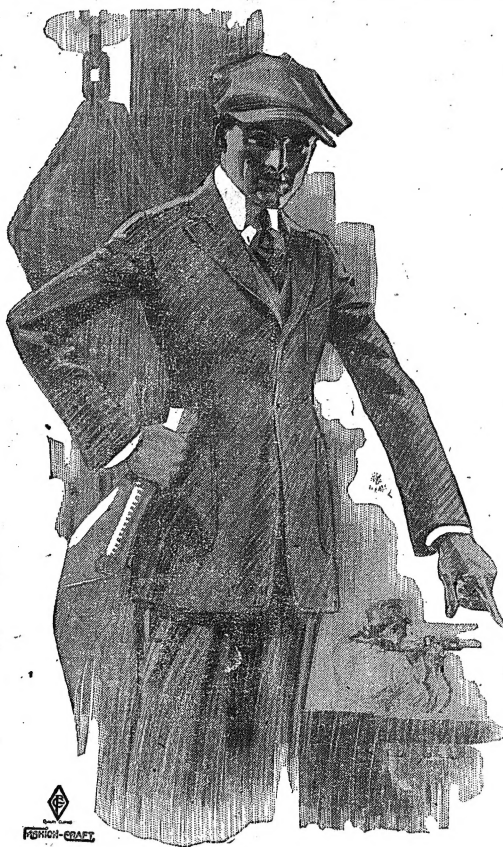
As you know, it is our custom to clear up all lines at the end of a season, and carry nothing over. We have thought that this year we would clean up a little earlier than usual, having it in mind that some of our customers might look favorably on coats as suitable gifts for Xmas, and before they were committed to other purchases we announce the following somewhat sensational reductions:



\$56.00 Coats reduced to	\$38.25
\$55.00 Coats reduced to	37.25
\$52.00 Coats reduced to	34.25
\$50.00 Coats reduced to	34.25
\$48.50 Coats reduced to	32.30
\$45.00 Coats reduced to	31.00
\$42.00 Coats reduced to	29.65
\$40.00 Coats reduced to	26.75
\$38.00 Coats reduced to	25.25
\$35.00 Coats reduced to	23.25
\$30.00 Coats reduced to	22.50

In addition to this we have selected some odd numbers and are displayed on a rack by themselves from which you can pick any one you choose for only \$15.00

These Coats at \$15.00 would fit girls from 16 to 20 years of age. A few women's sizes are also included.



The Best Clothes for Men and Boys.

They're fit to wear anywhere.

Prices for Men from \$15.00 to \$55.00

Near Beaver Coats \$50.00

We have had quite an unexpected sale for our near Beaver Coats; so much so indeed that we have had to re-order from the factory three times, the third order being there now, and we hope to receive it in another week. Meantime we have a few on hand which are priced at, each \$50.00. For anyone wanting a sturdy coat at a low price, we can recommend it, for it has no equal in the trade as far as we know.

Only \$50.00



Silkwear for Ladies

Can you think of anything that would make a more delicate gift or a prettier one than Silk Hosiery or Silk Lingerie? There is nothing more acceptable. With this in view we ask your attention to

LADIES' SILK HOSIERY

Just in by express for Xmas trade. Two very nice new lines in Black, White, Brown, Grey, Champagne and Navy; Per pair \$2.00 and \$2.95

DELICATE SILK LINGERIE Camisoles in a wide range of prices and all good value at the price asked; daintily trimmed with lace.

From \$1.50 to \$4.50

Combinations in styles that you will appreciate. Crepe de Chine, or Wash Satin; trimmed and embroidered in pastel shades. From \$4.00 to \$9.75 Night Gowns, of very attractive styles. When you see them you will think we should have said more about them. In Crepe de Chine and Silk; in shades of Flesh and White; from, each \$7.75 to \$15.00



Dainty Waists

With a view to being of assistance to husbands and brothers in the matter of selecting Xmas presents for wives, daughters, sisters, and others, we have been adding new creations to our



Ladies' Waist stock. Our showing is better than we have ever had in the past and is worthy of your attention. Prices range from..... \$1.45 to \$17.50

Shirts for Men



We speak where we know. We say that there is nothing more acceptable for a present to any man in the house be he 15 or 50, than a nice

NEGLIGEE SHIRT

And we've got them, too, although they are the scarcest thing on the market today.

Prices run from, each..... \$2.50 to \$8.50

a la Grâce

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To be Comfortable is to be pleasant.

Corsets have more to do with woman's mental and physical comfort than any other thing she wears. This is why we sell

***a la Grâce* Corsets**

They fit comfortably, give perfect support, and yet permit free play to one's movements. Moreover, they are made of the finest and most enduring materials. The steels are rust proof and almost all models are attractively trimmed with lace and ribbon.

We invite you to come and see them. We are also showing some most attractive Ready-to-Wear lines in Wash Dresses, Waists and House Frocks.

Stanfield's Label

is as reliable as a VICTORY BOND for

Stanfield's Underwear

has stood the greatest of all tests—time.



STANFIELD'S
UNDERWEAR

Stanfield's is perfect fitting and unshrinkable. Every garment is guaranteed.

"KOZY-KOAT" Mackinaws

Are good whether you are coming or going Made from heavy all-wool cloth and finished with the same precision that you would expect in a high grade suit, they will satisfy you from every standpoint.

Men's sizes, priced at \$19.25 and \$22.50 Boys' sizes priced at \$9.85 and \$12.50

Wouldn't one of these make a nice Xmas gift?

Holiday Gift Books at Gaetz-Cornett's

No present gives so great and lasting pleasure as a Book, and nothing that gives so much pleasure costs so little. Therefore

Give Books This Christmas

THE BEST NEW NOVELS

RAINBOW VALLEY, by L. M. Montgomery	\$1.60
RE-CREATION OF FRIAN KENT, by Harold Bell Wright	\$1.60
DAUGHTERS OF DAYS, by Mary R. Rhinehart	\$1.60
SKY PILOT IN NO MAN'S LAND, by Ralph Connor	\$1.50
MR. STANDFAST, by John Buehan	\$1.50
THE RIDER OF THE KING LOG, by Holman Day	\$1.75
THE LAMP IN THE DESERT, by Ethel Doll	\$2.00
JOAN AT HALF-WAY, by Grace Rogers	\$1.50
THE YOUNG VISITORS, by Daisy Ashford	\$1.60
THE DEBUT OF WHISKEY, by Zane Grey	\$1.75
BULLDOG CARNEY, by W. A. Fraser	\$1.75
BROAD HORIZONS, by Wm. E. Edmonds	\$1.50
WHEN CANADA WAS IN FRANCE, by Dr. Joe Locke	\$1.25
THE BEDTIME STORY BOOKS for boys and girls of 4 up to 12 years, by Thornton Burgess. 20 titles in this favorite children's series. Each 65c. Per set, \$12.50.	

"Peter Rabbit" Book Rack, to hold a set of these or other books, each \$1.50.

"Mother West Wind" Stories, by Thornton Burgess, each \$1.00.

"Happy Jack" and "Peter Rabbit," by the same author, each \$1.50.

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Christmas Cards and Calendars for distant friends should be sent soon. We have a splendid assortment, 5c and up.

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Will there be an Edison in your home for Xmas? See H. H. Hummer. C. L. Tinkins was up from Olds Agricultural College over the week end.

The I.O.B.E. will meet in the City Hall on Friday afternoon next at 3.30 o'clock.

Hear the talking books and dolls at Gaetz-Cornett's. Just the thing to make the children happy.

J. C. Horton has been appointed manager of Sylvan Lake branch of the Imperial Bank of Canada.

Mrs. E. Towne, who passed through a successful operation for appendicitis some time ago, has nicely recovered.

More new Brunswick Phonographs just in by express at Gaetz-Cornett's. Be sure to hear them before you buy any machine.

Chatterbox, toy books, rubber dolls, hockey sticks, decorations, splashes, tinsel, candles and candle holders at John McVicar's bookstore, Gaetz Ave. North.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid will hold a bazaar and ten cent tea and sale of home made cooking on Friday afternoon, December 12th, in the basement of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Griffith, of Edmonton, spent the week with friends on their return from California, where they have been on their honeymoon.

Robert D. Hewson has graduated as a full-fledged doctor, having passed his final examinations in Toronto Medical College. He is expected home next week.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the G.W.V.A. will hold a whist and five hundred card party in the parlors of the Victoria Hotel, December 11th, at 8.15. Proceeds in aid of the soldiers' children's Christmas tree. A dance and refreshments afterwards. Tickets 50c each.

Opposition is the life of trade. Farmers, we want your cream in our business. The Swift Canadian Co. are paying the highest cash prices for cream and poultry. E. R. Hill is handling the goods and will give you a square deal every time. Bring us your poultry every day except Saturday.

The many friends of W. K. Wickens will regret to hear that he has been appointed manager of the Imperial Bank at Port William, and will leave Red Deer at an early date. The appointment is a distinct promotion, as Port William is a large and important city. The regret is not that he has received promotion, but that he is leaving Red Deer. The many friends of Mrs. Wickens will also regret her departure, as she has been prominent in church and other work in the city. Mr. Wilson will be the new manager at Red Deer.

E. R. Hill returned on Sunday from an extended trip to Vancouver, Washington, and to Portland, Oregon, and other south western points. He says the weather on the coast is a great deal warmer than here, and in fact there has been little frost, and the potato crop is still in the ground. He went to Washington mainly to see a brother, who is very sick in the hospital there, with slight hopes of recovery. He was accompanied by his brother, E. G. Hill, of Hill End. Mr. Hill does not consider there is any shortage of lumber, and was informed by those who know in that country that the high cost of lumber was only caused by a combine of lumber dealers. He saw millions upon millions of feet of lumber on his trip that did not appear to have been touched for years, and the people there claimed there was no shortage of lumber whatever.

Ladies' gold wrist watches from \$12.00 to \$85.00, at H. H. Hummer's Jeweller.

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For ambulance (Stone's) cat 172, 173.

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Cut glass water sets, jug and six glasses. Special, \$10.00.—H. H. Hummer.

The biggest event of the season—G.W.V.A. dance at the armoures, New Year's Eve.

If you have any property to sell, list it with the J. Malcolm Co. They'll farm lands.

The place to sell all kinds of raw furs and beef hides is G. A. Shelton's, Wilton's barber shop.

The big event of the season—G.W.V.A. grand dance on New Year's Eve. Dance the old year out.

FOUNTAIN PEN LOST—Between my house and office, on Ross St. Reward if returned.—W. J. Botterill. Dec 9, 1w*

FOR SALE—Buy a beautiful, trained singing canary for Christmas from 216, Waskasieu Ave. Phone 306. Dec. 10, 1w*

FOR SALE—A fine, cabinet style, fumed oak case, also a number of splendid records; and many more things too numerous to mention. Owner preparing to leave town. Things may be seen at 104, 4th St. N.E. Phone 149.

PURNISHED SUITE TO LET.—Fitted for light housekeeping. Suitable for two people. Also extra bed room.—The Model Rooming House, Phone 363. Red Deer, Dec 9

ESTRAY—Came on to my premises, about the 1st of November, one red steer, about one year old; no visible brand. Owner can have same by paying expenses.—George Whitlow, Red Deer West. Dec 3, 3w*

STRAY CATTLE—A red yearling, branded BV with bar underneath on right shoulder; 1 two-year-old red steer, branded F, anchor, and bar (in line) on left ribs.—Please notify Robert V. Bromley, R. R. No. 1, Penhold. Dec 3

ESTRAY—On the premises of Donald McFarlane, S.W. Qr. 14-38-27, W. 4th, one young bay mare, white face, left hind foot white; branded H and angry F on right thigh. Dec. 10, 3w*

STRAY—Came on to my premises, a roan calf, about November 1st. Owner can have it by proving property and paying expenses.—S. P. Fry, 4 miles east of Penhold. Dec. 3, 3w.

WOOD FOR SALE—Good, green, standing poplar in small lots for purchasers. Only half mile from Calgary and Edmonton trail, and near the A.C.R. bridge.—Joe Anderson. Dec. 3, 3w*

FOR SALE—19 coats, 12 mattresses and 12 pillows, good as new. Tenders wanted for the purchase of the entire lot. Open to inspection. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Apply Red Deer Agricultural Society. D. W. McKinnon, President. J. E. Welton, Secretary. Dec. 3, 2w.

FOUND—Bicycles, two; gold watch, ladies; soldier's kit bag, marked Cubitt 13157; lady's purse and sum of money; auto crank; lady's ring. All to be had by applying to Chief of Police, Charles Anderson. Dec 3

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Good wages. Apply Mrs. J. Malcolm, Michener Hill. Red Deer, Nov. 19, 1f.

WANTED—Teacher for Springvale School, No. 212. Male or female holding first or second class certificate. Salary \$900.00 a year; duties to commence Monday, January 5. All applications to be in by Dec. 20. Apply to W. P. Code, Sec'y-Treas., Red Deer. Dec. 3, 2w.

STRAYED—One spotted yearling steer, branded RW with half circle over, on left rump, with underbit and overbit out of left ear. Notify R. D. Williams, Hillsdown. Dec. 10, 3w*

HAY FOR SALE—About 15 tons good upland hay, Burnt Lake. Box 563, Red Deer. Dec. 10, 1f.

STRAYED—One white-faced yearling steer, one red yearling steer, and one small roan cow, all branded lazy A. S upright, over bar. Notify Steele Bros., R.R. 3, Red Deer. Phone 118, Edwell. Dec. 10, 2w*

STRAYED—Dark yearling colt, also roan yearling steer. \$5.00 each for owner or information to J. W. V. Slack, Benalto. Dec. 10, 3w*

ESTRAY—On the premises of A. D. Bowers, S.E. Qr. 6-38-26, W. of 4th, two yearling heifers, light roan, both mules, one has reddish-colored head. Branded indistinctly on right and left ribs. Brand appears to be H, 7 with a tail, followed by a star. D.C. 10, 3w*

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